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The main body of the article should follow the IMRAD structure (Introduction, Methods, Results and Discussion, Conclusion). Each section begins on a new paragraph and should be highlighted in bold font.

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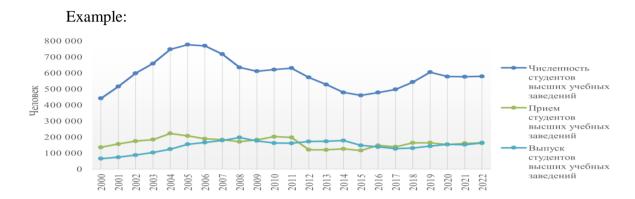


Figure 2. Trends in university student enrollment, graduation, and total student numbers

Note: Compiled based on data from [14].

Table 1. Number of international students by country of origin [14]

Country of origin	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021
Uzbekistan	3683	9500	25964	15642	14404
India	3500	3717	4450	4220	5987
Turkmenistan	1320	2616	3176	2795	2795
Russian Federation	1075	1273	1247	1298	1263
Mongolia	439	565	888	1128	1010
China	1290	1240	807	871	811
Kyrgyzstan	1026	1026	1026	1067	659
Jordan	60	62	228	515	546
Other countries	1505	1671	1683	1533	1462

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- Conclusion – summarizes and draws together the results obtained at this stage, confirms the validity of the author's hypothesis or thesis, and clearly outlines the author's

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